

**MINUTES OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE  
ON COMMERCE**

**Wednesday, June 29, 2005**

**10:30 a.m.**

**Room 519, House Office Building**

**Chair Huizenga** called the Standing Committee on Commerce to order.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Reps. Huizenga, Baxter, Emmons, Palsrok, Wenke, Green, Hildenbrand, Jones, Marleau, Pavlov, Schuitmaker, Meisner, Tobocman, Murphy, Dillon, Bennett, Accavitti (17/19)

**MEMBERS ABSENT/EXCUSED:** Reps. David Law and McConico (2/19)

**Representative Accavitti**, supported by **Representative Marleau**, moved to adopt the minutes from the meeting held on June 28, 2005. Hearing no objection, the minutes were adopted with **unanimous consent**.

**Representative Emmons**, supported by **Representative Tobocman**, moved to excuse absent members. Hearing no objection, **Chair Huizenga** excused **Representatives David Law** and **McConico**.

The **Chair** laid **House Bill 5005** before the committee.

HB 5005    Huizenga                      State; funds; the 21st century jobs fund authority; create.

**Jeff Mason**, representing the Michigan Economic Development Corporation, testified on the bill, indicating a **neutral** position, and answered questions.

**Jatinder-Rir Sandhu**, representing Nyx, Inc. testified in **support** of the bill and answered questions.

**Matt Hanley**, representing the Michigan Bankers Association, submitted a testimony card in **support** of the **concept** of the bill, but did not wish to speak.

**Barry Cargill**, representing the Small Business Association of Michigan, submitted a testimony card indicating **support** for the bill as a **work in progress**, but did not wish to speak.

**Vice-Chair Baxter** assumed the chair, the time being **11:30 a.m.**

**Chair Huizenga** and **Representative Dillon** testified in support of the bill and answered questions.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the **Vice-Chair** declared the meeting adjourned, the time being **12:00 p.m.**

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**Representative Bill Huizenga, Chair**

Jean Hamelin, Committee Clerk  
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